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**YOKOGAWA** 

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Title: SERVER

SERVER COMPUTER AND METHOD FOR SENDING VIRTUAL CHARACTER ASSOCIATED WITH SERVICE PROVIDED, AND COMPUTER READABLE RECORDING MEDIUM THAT RECORDS PROGRAM FOR IMPLEMENTING THE

**METHOD** 

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## **RESPONSE/AMENDMENT/LETTER**

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Fees are attached as calculated below:

Applicant claims "small entity" status.

Total effective claims after amendment 43 minus highest number

previously paid for 43 (at least 20) = 0 x 50.00 0.00 (1202)/0.00 (2202)

Independent claims after amendment 4 minus highest number

previously paid for 4 (at least 3) =  $0 \times $200.00$  \$0.00 (1201)/\$0.00 (2201) \$

If proper multiple dependent claims now added for first time, (ignore improper); add

\$360.00 (1203)/\$180.00 (2203) \$

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## **AMENDMENT/RESPONSE**

Responsive to the Office Action dated May 18, 2006, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.